

Qty: 100 µg Mouse anti-E-Cadherin (Human) Catalog No. 13-5700 Lot No.: See product label Exp. Date: See product label

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# FORM

This monoclonal antibody is supplied lyophilized in Tris-buffered saline, 1.0% bovine serum albumin. Ascites fluid was produced in BALB/c mice. The antibody was purified by ammonium sulfate precipitation and anion exchange chromatography.

#### Please note: this product does not contain a preservative.

CLONE: SHE78-7

ISOTYPE: Mouse IgG2a

**IMMUNOGEN:** Human placenta

# RECONSTITUTION

Reconstitute the lyophilizate with 50 µl of distilled water to yield a concentration of 2 mg/ml. Recommended diluent: 20 mM Tris buffered saline (pH 7.4), 10 mM CaCl<sub>2</sub>, and 1.0% bovine serum albumin with optional 0.1% sodium azide.

# SPECIFICITY

This antibody reacts strongly with human epithelial cadherin (E-cadherin or uvomorulin).

# REACTIVITY

Human, (positive control: A431 cell lysate).

# USAGE

Working concentrations for specific applications should be determined by the investigator. Appropriate concentrations will be affected by several factors, including secondary antibody affinity, antigen concentration, sensitivity of detection method, temperature and length of incubations, etc. The suitability of this antibody for applications other than those listed below has not been determined. The following concentration ranges are recommended starting points for this product.

**Western Blotting:**  $1 - 2 \mu g/ml$  (reducing or non-reducing condition). **Inhibition of E-cadherin-dependent cell-cell contact**<sup>(4)</sup>: 5-10  $\mu g/ml$ Immunoblotting<sup>(2)</sup>: Immunoprecipitation<sup>(3)</sup> Adhesion blockage<sup>(5)</sup> Other applications<sup>(5-6)</sup>

ELISA<sup>(2)</sup>: 1:10,000 (using immobilized A431 cells) 1 – 2 µg/ml

#### STORAGE

Lyophilized antibody is stable at 2-8°C for 2 years. Reconstituted solution (2.0mg/mL) should be stored in aliguots at -20°C for 1 year. Alternatively reconstituted solution can be stored at 2-8°C for 6 months, if 0.1% sodium azide is added. Solutions at less then 2.0mg/mL concentration should not be stored.

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# BACKGROUND

E-cadherin (uvomorulin, cell-CAM120/80) is a calcium dependent cell-adhesion molecule expressed predominately in epithelial tissues. This 120 kDa trasmembrane glycoprotein is localized predominately to the lateral cell border and is associated with contractile cytoskeleton. E-cadherin molecules exhibit homophilic binding interactions and play a central role in cellular organization and morphogenetic regulation. Numerous studies have demonstrated that reduction and/or loss of E-cadherin expression in carcinomas correlates positively with the potential of these tumors for invasion and metastasis.

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#### **RELATED PRODUCTS**

Product	Clone/PAD	Cat. No.
Ms x E-Cadherin	4A2C7	33-4000
Ms x E-Cadherin	HECD-1	13-1700
Rt x E-Cadherin	ECCD-1	13-1800
Rt x E-Cadherin	ECCD-2	13-1900
Rt x N-Cadherin	NCD-2	13-2100
Ms x N-Cadherin	3B9	33-3900
Rt x P-Cadherin	PCD-1	13-2000
Ms x P-Cadherin	NCC-CAD-299	13-5800
Rb x pan-Cadherin	ZyPC7	71-7100
E-Cadherin ELISA Kit (42 test)	Kit	99-1700
Ms x α-Cadherin	αCAT-7A4	13-9700
Rb x α-Cadherin	ZER2	71-1200
Ms x β-Catenin	CAT-5H10	13-8400
Ms x γ-Caternin	PG-11E4	13-8500
Ms x p120 <sup>ctn</sup>	15D2	33-9600
Rb x β-Catenin	CAT-15	71-2700
Product	Conjugate	Cat. No.
Goat anti-Mouse IgG (H+L)	Purified	81-6500
(ZyMAX™ Grade)	FITC	81-6511
	TRITC	81-6514
	Су™3	81-6515
	Cy™5	81-6516
	HRP	81-6520
	AP	81-6522
	Biotin	81-6540
Goat anti-Rat IgG (H+L)	Purified	62-9500
	FITC	62-9511
	TRITC (Rhodamine)	62-9514
	Cy <sup>™</sup> 3	62-9515
	Cy <sup>™</sup> 5	62-9516
	HŔP	62-9520
	Alkaline Phosphatase	62-9522
	Biotin	62-9540
	Sepharose <sup>®</sup> 4B	62-9541
Protein A	Sepharose <sup>®</sup> 4B	10-1041
rec-Protein G	Sepharose <sup>®</sup> 4B	10-1241

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Symbol	Description	Symbol	Description	
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X	Use by	ł	Temperature limitation	
	Manufacturer	EC REP	European Community authorised representative	
[-]	Without, does not contain	[+]	With, contains	
0	Protect from light	Â	Consult accompanying documents	
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